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MUNICIPAL ORDINANCES, RULES, AND REGULATIONS PERTAINING TO PUBLIC HEALTH.

CHICAGO, ILL.

Rabies—Animals Suffering from, to be Reported—Restraint of Dogs (Ord. July 15, 1912).

SECTION 1. That Chapter XX of the Chicago Code of 1911 be amended by adding after section 777 thereof the following sections:

"777 (a). It shall be the duty of every veterinarian or other person who discovers any dog or other animal to be suffering with rabies to report immediately the fact to the commissioner of health, which report shall give the name, if known, the place of residence of person owning or harboring said dog, the place where the dog can be found, and the license number of said dog, if known: *Provided*, That such dog or other animal shall be immediately taken up and impounded in the manner provided in section 777 of this ordinance, and securely kept until the commissioner of health can make or cause to be made an examination of said dog or other animal; and, if upon such examination it shall be determined that said dog or other animal is suffering with rabies, said animal shall be immediately killed. Every person violating any provision of this section or neglecting or refusing to comply with any of the provisions hereof shall be fined not less than \$10 nor more than \$200 for each offense.

"777 (b). That it shall be unlawful for any owner or keeper of a female dog to permit the same to run at large during the time said female dog is in heat, and said owner or keeper must keep said female dog securely chained or housed during the period of heat: *Provided*, That any person violating any provision of this section or neglecting or refusing to comply with any of the provisions hereof shall be fined not less than \$5 nor more than \$200 for each offense."

CHICOPEE, MASS.

Foodstuffs—Care and Sale of (Reg. Bd. of H. May 17, 1912).

No person shall expose, sell, or offer for sale for human food any meat, vegetables, poultry, candy, fruits, berries, or shelled nuts outside of any building, or in any open window or doorway, or upon any alley, street, or sidewalk in the city of Chicopee, unless such food is covered with glass or other clean material, or so placed as to be protected from dust, flies, animals, or other contaminating influence.

No person shall sell or offer for sale or have in his possession with intent to sell for human consumption any unwholesome or decayed fruit, berries, vegetables of any kind whatever, or any tainted, diseased, or decayed meat, fish, or adulterated food.

Meats or other products as named above shall not be carried through any street, private way, or public place unless properly protected from dust and flies.

Every person, firm, or corporation being the occupant or lessee of any room, building, or place where meat, poultry, game, fish, confectionery, baker products, or any article for human food shall be kept, sold, or offered for sale, shall maintain such room, building, or place and its appurtenances in a clean and sanitary condition, subject at all times to meet the approval of the board of health.

Every peddler of food products from wagons or carts, in addition to coverings as provided for in the above regulations, shall keep in his wagon or cart a suitable receptacle for the waste of his business. Such waste to be disposed of in a manner that shall not create a nuisance.

No person, firm, or corporation, individually or by their agents or employees, shall transport meat, fish, or poultry of any kind through the public streets or ways of the city except in wagons or vehicles which have been thoroughly washed at least once in 24 hours, and kept in a clean and sanitary condition.

The agent of the board of health of the city shall from time to time inspect all stores, places, receptacles, and vehicles where foodstuffs are kept or being transported for sale and ascertain if foodstuffs are in a pure and wholesome condition, and if store, place, or vehicle is kept in a clean and sanitary manner, and may seize and destroy any and all of such foodstuffs made, deposited, or offered for sale, or transported contrary to the provisions of these regulations.

Any person, firm, or corporation violating any provision of these rules shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined not less than \$5 nor more than \$200 for each and every offense.

COLUMBUS, OHIO.

Milk and Milk Products—Production, Care, and Sale (Reg. Bd. of H., Mar. 29, 1912).

MILK.

SECTION 1. *Permits.*—No one shall engage in the sale of milk or cream in the city of Columbus, Ohio, ship same into the city for sale, or supply to others for use in the city, unless he shall first obtain a permit from the board of health so to do.

No person or persons shall sell, offer for sale, or have in possession with intent to sell, any milk or cream from any dairy which has not a permit from this office, or for which there has not been filed, with the chief inspector, an application to sell such milk.

A fee of \$1 will be charged for each permit, and the same shall be credited to the sanitary fund. Permits shall be renewed annually in January. Permits issued after July 1 shall be charged at the rate of 50 cents for each permit for use only during the second half of the year. On or before the 1st day of January permits will be issued by the board of health for the ensuing year to all applicants who comply with the provisions of these rules and regulations regulating the sale of milk or cream in the city of Columbus, but before the issuance of any permit every vender or shipper of milk or cream shall make application therefor upon a printed form, provided by the board for that purpose, on which shall be stated:

1. The name, residence, post-office address, and location of the business place or places of the applicant.
2. The number of cows from which milk is obtained for sale, and the kind of food which the cows are given.
3. If the applicant buys part or all his milk supply, the names and addresses of all persons from whom he obtains milk or cream.
4. If the applicant be a shipper of milk or cream into the city he shall, in addition to the above, state the route of his shipments.

SEC. 2. *Inspections for permits.*—The board will not issue any permit unless it is satisfied, after inspection, with the cleanly and sanitary condition of the stables, cows, wagons, store, or place of business of the applicant therefor, and with all the utensils used by him from which his milk or cream is obtained; and that the food given the cows is pure and wholesome, and that all persons engaged in the care and handling of the milk are free from any contagious diseases, and that said persons use due cleanliness in their work.